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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

: Roland Busse

For

: DEVICE FOR FEEDING POULTRY ESPECIALLY FATTENED

POULTRY, PREFERABLY BOILERS

Commissioner For Patents Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please enter the following amendments to the above-identified application as translated prior to entering the National Stage.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.